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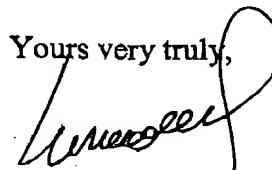
Re: PCT Application filed October 19, 2001  
For Molnar et al; Entitled: *Automatic Frequency Control Systems and  
Methods for Joint Demodulation*  
Our File No.: 8194.392.WO

Dear Sir/Madam:

The above-referenced PCT application was filed in the U.S. PTO on **October 19, 2001**. Applicant has not yet received form PCT/RO/105 and believes this is due to the anthrax contamination and subsequent mail delay. This international application corresponds to US Serial No. **09/699,920**. Please inform us of the present status of this case.

Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,



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